

# DAILY DEMOCRAT FORUM

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Allowing saloons to be opened at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon and remain open the remainder of the day.

A series of five bills providing that deeds may be photographed before they are recorded.

Requiring all corporations doing business in Missouri to incorporate in the state.

### To Tax "Movies."

A bill which Representative Wolf of Jefferson City is working on at Jefferson City provides for the licensing of moving picture shows. It probably will call for an annual tax of \$50. There are probably 1,000 moving picture houses in the state and the law would therefore mean an annual revenue of \$50,000 which money would go into the good roads fund.

The bill may call for the establishment of a state board of inspection which would visit all such places once every six months, inspect the building in regard to avenues of escape in case of fire, and of the strength of the structure for holding a crowd.

Proper ventilation and heating would be included in the work of the board, which, by the fee system, would be self-sustaining.

A board of censors is suggested to pass on pictures before they are exhibited. All "movies" dealing with train robbery, Indian killing and similar ones, which inflame the minds of the young people, would be eliminated.

### Hopkins Man Thinks "He Missed It"

Dee Houston of this city is now of the opinion that he "missed it" by selling his 80-acre farm at the north edge of Burlington Junction, since he read in the paper the other day that this very same farm sold for \$175 an acre, and he only got \$60 an acre when he parted with it some dozen years ago.

The rent of the farm would have kept up the taxes and interest and the advance in price would have cleaned up nearly ten thousand dollars for Mr. Houston if he had stayed with his Burlington Junction eighty. But who would live in Burlington Junction twelve years for ten thousand dollars. —Hopkins Journal.

### To Great-Nephew's Funeral.

Mrs. Richard Kuchs went to St. Joseph Thursday morning, called by the death of Mr. Kuchs's great-nephew, Karl Kuchs, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Kuchs, Jr. Mr. Kuchs of this city also expects to attend the funeral services.

### Married by 'Squire Morris.

Oscar White and Miss Nina Hanes of Parnell were married Thursday in the office of County Treasurer Samuel Williams by 'Squire J. W. Morris.

A marriage license was issued Thursday by Recorder Wray to Isom Martin Morgan and Leva Opal Monroe of Elmo. The girl being under age, consent was given by her father, D. L. Monroe.

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Crane's

### DIED OF BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

Frederick Seckington of East First Street Passed Away After Two Years' Illness.

Frederick Seckington, formerly of the Maryville brick yards, died Wednesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at his home, on East First street, after a two years' illness of Bright's disease with complications that set in a month ago.

The funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Friday morning at the family residence and will be conducted by Rev. Lee Harrel. Burial will take place in Miriam cemetery.

Mr. Seckington was born in Northamptonshire, England, in 1840. When 2 years old he came with his parents to Montreal, Canada, and again moved with them to Elizabethtown, N. Y., at the age of 12 years. He learned the brickmaking trade when quite young, and at the age of 21 years went back to Montreal and worked two years. During this time he was married to Miss Mary Ann Fogarty of Montreal, October 13, 1862. Two years after that marriage they settled at Victor, Ia., where they lived until February, 1886, when they moved to Clarendon, Kan., and lived there two years. During the year 1888, they came to Maryville and settled. Mr. Seckington and his two older sons had charge of the brick yard here for several years. He is survived by his wife and four children, who are: Anthony Seckington of Reger, Mo.; Edward Seckington of North English, Ia.; Jerry Seckington of Juarez, Mexico, and Miss Maggie Seckington at home. Two of the sons arrived Wednesday before their father's death, while the one from Mexico arrived Thursday noon.

### DEATH AT CLEARMONT.

Mrs. Eliza J. Lewis Died Wednesday Night at the Home of Her Son—Funeral at Guilford.

Mrs. Eliza Jane Lewis died Wednesday night at the home of her son, Walter Clemons of Clearmont, after an illness of eleven weeks of pneumonia.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at the M. E. church, South, in Guilford, conducted by Rev. Hoover. Burial in Guilford cemetery.

Mrs. Lewis was 77 years old and had spent all her life in Nodaway county.

She was twice married, the first time to Jacob Clemons of the Guilford community, and the second time to J. R. Lewis of Guilford, whose death occurred some fifteen years ago.

Mrs. Lewis had made her home in Guilford until last fall, when she went to her son's home in Clearmont to live.

She is survived by two sons and a daughter, Walter Clemons of Clearmont, Albert Clemons of Bolckow and Mrs. Maggie Lewis Allen of St. Joseph.

### MT. AYR.

Ben Chandler of Bedison shipped two cars of cattle and two of hogs to St. Joseph market last week.

The Ladies' Aid of Mt. Ayr church served lunch at Albert Mercer's sale and realized a neat sum of about \$17.

Mrs. William Irwin has been ill for quite a while.

Leslie Inman baled his hay, Bert Hiatt doing the work.

Miss Fane Thompson and Miss Catharine Zeck were callers at Mt. Ayr school on Tuesday.

Mr. Hornbuckle will occupy the Tebow farm the coming year, Mr. Tebow going on an extended trip for his wife's health, which we are sorry to say is quite poor.

John Hall delivered two hundred bushels of corn to William Workman of Maryville.

School is progressing nicely, a few having started recently that intend attending high school at Maryville. Among the number is Ira Mozingo.

At a meeting of line No. 4 of the Farmers exchange the election of officers was held. Caleb Stark was chosen president, Horatio Schoonover treasurer, Mel Pike lineman, T. F. Kane secretary.

The annual meeting of the Farmers Mutual Telephone company of Bedison was held and officers elected Monday evening. Chance Evans was chosen president, Birch Thompson treasurer, T. F. Kane secretary. Other matters of interest were discussed and adjusted.

Henry Heitman is butchering hogs today.

Hubert Zeck was a Maryville visitor Monday.

Kane Bros. are getting up a nice rick of wood, preparing to get the wood saw to complete the work.

Jake Bigley was a Maryville business visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. B. Luton and children returned to their home in St. Joseph Wednesday evening. They had been spending several weeks with Mrs. Luton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Brien, owing to the illness from pneumonia of Mrs. Luton's baby, who was taken ill soon after their arrival for a Christmas week visit.

Miss Coga Thum of Parnell returned home Wednesday from a few days' visit with Mrs. Frank Beavis.

### 470 PACKAGES OUT

### MARYVILLE PEOPLE LIKE THE PARCEL POST SYSTEM.

### 835 PACKAGES SENT IN

### Parcel Post Zones Are Not Evenly Divided—Southern States Are Far Varyed to Quite a Degree.

Since the parcel post system was inaugurated, January 1, there has been delivered here \$25 packages by the local post office. There has also been sent out 470 packages from Maryville. The money spent for postage in sending the packages amounted to \$36.60.

It has been discovered that the zones are not equal, and post office department officials at Washington have discovered that the parcel post zone system discriminated against the northern part of the United States, and in favor of the southern states.

They declared it was due to the east and west shortening of the lines of longitude, on which the parcel post units is based, on a unit of area arbitrarily fixed on one quarter of the area formed by the intersecting parallels, the officials explain. "The unit is a rectangle with thirty minutes on a side. The actual unit of the area varies, however, because of the variation in the length of the degree of longitude.

"At the equator a degree of longitude is 69 miles, but as far north as Chicago it is only 53 miles. The degree of latitude is practically constant at 69 miles. The result is that in the extreme southern part of the United States the parcel post zone is an area 69 miles north and south approximately 57 miles east and west.

"At Chicago the zone is 53 by 69 miles. The law prescribes: "The first zone shall include all territory within such a quadrangle, in conjunction with every continuous quadrangle, representing an area having a mean radial distance of approximately 50 miles from the center of any given unit of area.

The result of the variation in longitude is that a package may be sent north and south in the first zone the full 50 miles, but in the northern part of the country less than 50 miles east and west. In the neighborhood of Chicago the maximum distance of an east and west transit in the first zone is between 35 and 40 miles, while in southern Texas it is about 55 miles.

### Went to Chicago.

W. A. Blagg left Wednesday evening for a business visit in Chicago.

### INSTITUTE AT PICKERING.

One Will Be Held There on Friday, January 31, When Lecturers Will Talk on Farm Subjects.

Pickering will have a farmers' institute on Friday, January 31, according to a letter received Thursday by Mrs. Stant Garter of that place from T. C. Wilson of Columbia, who is secretary of the state board of agriculture.

The speakers will be as follows:

J. Kelly Wright will talk on dairying and live stock and the part the school should play in agriculture.

B. P. Smoot will talk on grains and soils.

Miss Nellie Nesbitt will speak on domestic science and home sanitation.

### DISMISSED THE CASE.

### At a Special Term of Court on Thursday, Patrick Grawey Dismissed Suit Against Jeremiah Vaughn.

At a special term of circuit court held on Thursday morning, with W. H. Crawford as special judge on the bench, Patrick Grawey dismissed the case against Jeremiah Vaughn, which was to have been tried at this term. A jury had been summoned for this case. The suit was for \$1,200, and has been on the docket for over a year and a half.

### REEDER UP IN COURT.

### Pleaded Not Guilty on Two Charges of Disturbing the Peace—Gave Bail for \$400.

A. F. Reeder of Hopkins was arraigned in circuit court Thursday morning before Judge Ellison and pleaded not guilty to two charges of disturbing the peace. Bail was fixed at \$200 in each case, which was given.

The case will come up at the February term.

### Mr. Manley Arrived.

Fech Manley of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, arrived in Maryville Wednesday night, called here by his brother, Frank Manley, who was so badly injured in a fall at the new post office building on last Saturday afternoon.

The condition of Mr. Manley, who is at St. Francis hospital, is better and his chances for recovery are good. Manley sustained a fractured skull by the fall.

### Partition Suit Was Filed.

A partition suit was filed by S. E. Browne of Hopkins in the circuit clerk's office for Lettie A. Wilson and Claude Wilson vs. Ernest H. Collins, a minor, and Frank New, his curate.

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### Left for the West.

Hubert Afton Parrish, who has been in Rawlins, Wyo., for some time, has been spending a week in Maryville with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Parrish. He left Tuesday evening for Kansas City and after a few days there will leave for a new location in the west.

### Visitor From Iowa.

Mrs. Martha Phillips of Essex, Ia., arrived Wednesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Rutha Curnutt, and Mrs. A. S. Robey and Mrs. Charles Viles. Mrs. Phillips came here from Elmo, where she had been visiting Mrs. Ella Spencer.

### Attended Sister's Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fraser returned Thursday forenoon from Clarinda, where they attended the funeral services of Mrs. Fraser's sister, Mrs. Anna Hamilton, whose body was shipped from San Francisco, where her death occurred January 7. The funeral services were held at the home of a brother, Charles Cavender, in Clarinda and conducted by Rev. Williamson. Mr. and Mrs. Fraser were accompanied home by Mrs. Fraser's sister, Mrs. Claude Morris of North Platte, Neb., who came to the funeral.

### Lapsley Will Filed.

The will of the late Thomas Lapsley of Burlington Junction was filed in probate court on Thursday. The will was written on September 1, 1908, and was witnessed by Leslie E. Dean and W. E. Wiles of this city. By the terms of the will one-half of the estate is left to his wife and also one-half to a son, Harry Lapsley, subject to the life use of his mother.

### Going to San Antonio.

Mrs. J. C. Simmons and Miss Naomi Simmons of Pickering were in Maryville on business Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons and Miss Simmons will start in three weeks for San Antonio, Texas, to spend a month with their daughters, Mrs. Phoebe Lovridge and Mrs. Dottie Meyers.

### Here From Salt Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kemp of Salt Lake City, Utah, arrived in Maryville Tuesday on a visit to Mr. Kemp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Kemp.

### Left for Waterloo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Braniger left Wednesday for Waterloo, Ia., on a visit to Mr. Braniger's brother, Alphonso Braniger, and family.

### Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Probst of Clydesdale.

were Maryville business visitors Wednesday. Mr. Probst fell a few days ago and broke the two bones of his left forearm, and will have to carry it in a sling for several weeks.

### Mrs. George L. Reynolds returned

Tuesday evening from a ten days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Hornbuckle, three miles west of Pickering.

### Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Swinford were

called to the home of their son, Paul Swinford, six miles west of Maryville Thursday morning by the illness of their little granddaughter.

### THE CITY IS SUED

### MRS. LAURA PRICE IS WANTING \$2,500 DAMAGES FOR INJURIES.

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Miss Anna Blatter went to Arkans Wednesday evening to spend a few days with Mrs. Charles Barnard.

Miss Mary Blaschko, a deaconess of Kansas City, was in Maryville Thursday, the guest of Miss Elizabeth Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dane of Barnard were in Maryville Thursday, going to Stanberry to visit Mrs. Dane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wickard.

Mrs. Ben McClain and Miss Madge Smith of Parnell returned home Thursday from a visit at the home of Frank McClain.

Mrs. A. J. Lappold and Miss Frances Keefer went to Clyde Thursday to spend the day with the Sisters at St. Benedictine convent.

Miss Belle Stewart and Harold Gray of Parnell were in Maryville Thursday morning, returning home from a visit with Mrs. J. L. Downer of Hopkins.

Catarrah Cannot Be Cured  
with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Half a Catarrah is taken every day, acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Half a Catarrah Cure is not a quick medicine. Half a Catarrah Cure is not a quick medicine. It is pre-scribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years in the present disease. It is composed of the best tonic known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of these two will produce such wonderful results in curing catarrah. Send for testimonials, free.F. J. CHENEY & CO., Prope., Toledo, O.  
Sold by Druggists, price 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.Dr. D. J. Thomas  
Has Removed  
His  
DENTAL OFFICE  
to the  
Front Room overs  
Maryville National BankRIDAY  
always Big Bargain Day  
at  
MOWNSEND'S  
TOMORROW YOUR CASH WILL  
BY MORE GOOD CROSERIES THAN  
ANY OTHER STORE IN THE  
STATE.  
Best Japs. Whole Grain Rice 25c  
"Marigold" Butter, 1b. 35c  
Monarch Butterine, pound prints, 2  
for 35c  
Choice Mixed Nuts, 1b. 12½c  
75c half boxes Sunshine Crackers. 63c  
50c tins boxes Krispy Crackers for. 45c  
5-lb. pails Lard Compound. 50c: 3-lb  
pails for. 30c  
9 lbs Pure Lard for. \$1.00  
Morrell's selected Lean Breakfast Ba  
con. 18c  
Whole piece at. 17c  
3 bushels choice Lettuce, 6 bunches 25c  
Extra fine Black Twig Apples, pk. 40c  
Peck choice Black Walnuts. 10c  
Hazelnuts per quart. 10c  
Chase & Sanborn's Fancy Blend Coff  
fee, 2 lbs for. 55c  
Jumbo Celery, 2 bunches. 15c  
Merry War Lye, dozen cans for. 55c  
Brooms—Good home-made, 4-seam. 15c  
\$1.00 quality (largest and best) Lan  
tern made for. 65c  
Carton (2 boxes) Double Tip  
Matches for. 28c  
Pound Pigs. Cow Soda, 10c size for. 6c  
Powdered Starch (any kind), Celluloid.  
1 X. L or Elastic, 2 for. 15c  
5c Rub No More, 4 pkgs. 15c  
Grandpa's Tar Soap 10c cakes, 2  
for. 15c  
Grandpa's Tar Soap, 5c cakes, 5  
20c  
20c Chips, 10c boxes, 2 for 15c  
My Cotton Gloves and Mitts,  
or. 15c  
Mackerel, 3 for. 15c  
oneless Codfish. 2  
15c  
an Eating Apples. 65c  
15c  
19c  
Creams, 2  
25c  
bushel. 45c  
Co.News of Society  
and Womens' Clubs

## Alert Rebekahs, Attention!

The members of Alert Rebekah lodge are urgently requested to be present at the meeting Thursday night, as there is special work on hand that must be finished.

## Woodmen Circle Installation.

There will be a called meeting of the Woodmen Circle Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of installing officers. All members are requested to be present. Elizabeth Martin, guardian.

## Aid Society Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church, South, will meet in regular business session Friday afternoon, January 17, at the home of Mrs. W. T. Gray, 128 South Buchanan street. All members are urgently requested to be present.

## Entertained at Supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Moore, living south of Maryville, entertained at supper Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Morrison, Mrs. W. E. Frazier of Ft. Lupton, Col.; Mrs. N. B. Moore and Miss Mabel Moore of this city, Mr. Everett Moore and Mr. Howard Morrison and Mr. Howard Long, Mrs. Moore's father, of Witten, S. D.

## Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Groppe entertained for dinner Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allen, Mrs. J. R. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Groppe and daughter of Creston, Ia.; Mrs. T. E. Carter and children of Seward, Neb.; who are here with Mrs. D. L. Carter, also of Seward, visiting her parents on her way to Minnesota to make her future home. Mrs. D. L. Carter went to Savannah Wednesday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ingram for a day or two. John E. Groppe returned to Creston Thursday noon. Mrs. Groppe will remain for a week longer.

## Forrest Donnell to Wed.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Forrest Donnell of St. Louis and Miss Hilda Hays, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perin Hays of that city. The wedding will take place at the bride's home Wednesday, January 29.

Mr. Donnell is a former Maryville young man and was graduated from the high school here with high honors. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Donnell, former residents here, but now of Kansas City. Mr. Donnell is now practicing law in St. Louis with the firm of Spencer &amp; Donnell.

## Talked About "Old Maids."

The M. M. M. Club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, north of Maryville. After the president had called the meeting to order and the usual business was transacted the roll was called, responses being made by Bible quotations. A paper of unusual merit, all the married women there admit, was given by Miss Bess Nicholas on "Why Some Girls Are Old Maids." Miss Nicholas covered the ground so well that a very entertaining conversation was carried on all through the work hour, and the excellent luncheon, too, failed to swerve the guests from the inexhaustible, delightful and always charming subject, "Old Maids." The members present were Mrs. J. C. Farrar, Miss Eva Farrar, Mrs. M. A. Nicholas, Miss Bess Nicholas, Mrs. M. D. Kemp, Mrs. H. W. Hull, Mrs. George Stafford, Mrs. Charles Eckert, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. L. H. Fraze and Mrs. Edward Egley.

## Entertained Club.

Miss Minta Howden of Skidmore was hostess to the Neighbory club and their friends Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Howden, in that town. Miss Howden was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. E. T. Duvall and Miss Anna Linville. Guessing games occupied the first half of the evening's amusements, when a two-course luncheon was served. The last half of the even

THIS LADY'S  
GOOD APPETITEMrs. Hansen, in a Letter From  
Mobile, Tells How She Gained It.

Mobile, Ala.—"I suffered for seven years, with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. Sigurd Hansen in a letter from this city. "I felt weak and always had a headache and was always going to the doctor. At last I was operated on, and felt better, but soon I had the same trouble."

My husband asked me to try Cardul. I felt better after the first bottle, and now, I have a good appetite and sleep well. I feel fine, and the doctor tells me I am looking better than he ever saw me."

If you are sick and miserable, and suffer from any of the pains due to womanly trouble—try Cardul.

Cardul is successful because it is composed of ingredients that have been found to act curatively on the womanly constitution.

For more than fifty years, it has been used by women of all ages, with great success. Try it. Your druggist sells it.

Still Going Merrily Along  
BERNEY HARRIS'  
Great January Slaughter Sale

And the people are showing their appreciation of these highgrade "up-to-the-minute" styles and qualities at the "terrific reductions in prices" by their continued purchases.

But then "Berney's Sales are always successful." His plan is so simple, "all are treated alike." "A child" can buy as cheap as "a man." The child can wait on himself--note the "original prices," which is always marked in "plain figures," then compare same with the "reduction sale price as advertised in the papers," give the money to the clerk and walk out with his bargain feeling as big as his dad.

No wonder Berney's Sales are well attended. The people appreciate Great Values in New and Correct Styles.

Men's Suits and Overcoats In all the New Colors and Models	Men's Suits and Overcoats You couldn't want Nobbier Styles	Men's Suits and Overcoats As Swell as the Swellest	Men's Suits and Overcoats Styles Hard to Beat	Men's Suits and Overcoats Just Like the Other Fellows'
they were <b>\$27.50</b> now only <b>20.00</b>	which were <b>\$22.50</b> now only <b>16.90</b>	that were <b>\$20.00</b> now only <b>14.25</b>	which were <b>\$16.50</b> now only <b>11.90</b>	that were <b>\$13.50</b> now only <b>9.65</b>

## Men's Winter Caps

Any of the latest Leather, Plush, Cheviot or Melton Caps with fur inner bands.

Our \$1.50 grades at. 90c  
Our \$1.00 grades at. 65c  
Our 50c grades at. 35c

## Wool Sox

Black Cashmere.

50c grades at. 35c  
35c grades at. 25c  
25c grades at. 15c

## Heavy Wool Work Sox.

50c grades at. 35c  
35c grades at. 25c

## Men's Underwear

Men's Heavy Fleece 35c  
50c, at. 35cMen's Heavy Rib 35c  
50c, at. 35cMen's Gray Wool. 80c  
\$1.00, at. 80c

Men's Pure Wool \$1.75, at. \$1.35

## Boys' Underwear

Heavy Union Suits,

were 65, now 45c

Boys' Fleeced Shirts or Drawers,

were 35c, now 20c

## Boys' Knee Pant Suits

\$4.50 grade at. \$3.85

\$4.00 grade at. \$3.65

\$3.50 grade at. \$3.15

\$3.00 grade at. \$2.50

## Flannel Lined Coats

\$2.50 Duck Coats. \$1.75

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## Men's Nobby Pants

Cassimere and Worsted.

\$5.50 grades at. \$4.25

\$4.50 grades at. \$3.75

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## Men's Blue Serge Pants

Our \$5.50 grades at. \$4.25

Our \$4.50 grades at. \$3.75

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## Childs' Odd Knee Pants

Sizes 3 to 17 Years.

Our 75c grade at. 50c

Our 55c grade at. 65c

Our \$1.00 grade at. 75c

Our \$1.50 grade at. \$1.15

Blue Serge, \$1.50 grade, at. \$1.15

Men's and Boys' Gloves and  
Mittens

Our \$2.50 grades at. \$1.85

Our \$1.50 grades at. \$1.15

Our \$1.00 grades at. 65c

Our 50c grades at. 35c

Men's Flannel Cassimere  
Over Shirts

Were \$2.50, now. \$2.75

Were \$2.00, now. \$2.25

Were \$1.50, now. \$1.85

Were \$1.25, now. 90c

## Men's Union Suits

Heavy Rib Men's. 75c

\$1.00, at. \$1.15

Munsing Men's. \$1.50, at. \$1.85

Munsing Men's. \$2.00, at. \$2.75

Fern Theatre  
Friday, Jan. 24The best business men in every com  
munity carry life insurance. The bet  
ter they are in the more they carry.

Compare the man who does, with those

who don't and decide in which class

you wish to be counted. G. R. Keef,

Gen. Agt.

## HOSMER'S MID-MONTH STOCK SALE

Gray's Sale Pavilion, Saturday, January 18, 1913.

HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS, SHEEP.

This sale open for the sale of every  
body's stock, of all kinds, sizes and shapes.

Now do you want to sell? List it

to be listed, and sold in the number

C. P. HOSMER, "The Auctioneer."

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A series of five bills providing that deeds may be photographed before they are recorded.

Requiring all corporations doing business in Missouri to incorporate in the state.

### To Tax "Movies."

A bill which Representative Wolf of Jefferson City is working on at Jefferson City provides for the licensing of moving picture shows. It probably will call for an annual tax of \$50. There are probably 1,000 moving picture houses in the state and the law would therefore mean an annual revenue of \$50,000 which money would go into the good roads fund.

The bill may call for the establishment of a state board of inspection which would visit all such places once every six months, inspect the building in regard to avenues of escape in case of fire, and of the strength of the structure for holding a crowd.

Proper ventilation and heating would be included in the work of the board, which, by the fee system, would be self-sustaining.

A board of censors is suggested to pass on pictures before they are exhibited. All "movies" dealing with train robbery, Indian killing and similar ones, which inflame the minds of the young people, would be eliminated.

### Hopkins Man Thinks "He Missed It."

Dee Houston of this city is now of the opinion that he "missed it" by selling his 80-acre farm at the north edge of Burlington Junction, since he read in the paper the other day that this very same farm sold for \$175 an acre, and he only got \$60 an acre when he parted with it some dozen years ago.

The rent of the farm would have kept up the taxes and interest and the advance in price would have cleaned up nearly ten thousand dollars for Mr. Houston if he had stayed with his Burlington Junction eighty. But who would live in Burlington Junction twelve years for ten thousand dollars.

—Hopkins Journal.

### To Great-Nephew's Funeral.

Mrs. Richard Kuchs went to St. Joseph Thursday morning, called by the death of Mr. Kuch's great-nephew, Karl Kuchs, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Kuchs, Jr. Mr. Kuchs of this city also expects to attend the funeral services.

### Married by 'Squire Morris.

Oscar White and Miss Nina Hanes of Parnell were married Thursday in the office of County Treasurer Samuel Williams by 'Squire J. W. Morris. A marriage license was issued Thursday by Recorder Wray to Isom Martin Morgan and Leva Opal Monroe of Elmo. The girl being under age, consent was given by her father, D. L. Monroe.

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Mrs. E. B. Baker went to St. Joseph Thursday morning for a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. William Badger.

Attorney W. G. Sawyers was in St. Joseph Tuesday on business in Judge Mayer's court in that city.

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## FINAL DEBATE ON HOME RULE BILL

Balfour Sees Risk if Ulster's  
Wishes Are Ignored.

### PREMIER ASQUITH IN ANSWER.

Government Head Declares Troubles  
Which Have Kept England and Ire-  
land Apart Will Be Removed by His  
Law—Lords to Reject Measure.

London, Jan. 16.—The home rule bill entered upon its final stage in the House of commons. The debate must be concluded tonight and the measure then will pass on to the house of lords, where its rejection is a foregone conclusion.

On the formal motion that the home rule bill be read a third time, Arthur J. Balfour immediately rose and presented to the house the official Unionist motion for its rejection.

Mr. Balfour's speech was an appeal to the country to realize the risks it was running in allowing the home rule bill to become law. The present British government, he averred, had duped everybody and the principal dupes were the Nationalists, who thought that Ireland by this bill had been made a nation, and the English citizens, who thought they had secured political peace.

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Apart from all the safeguards contained in the bill there would, he said, be influences which would operate most strongly, namely, self-interest and common sense.

The premier declared he was satisfied that the hateful influence which had kept the two countries apart in the past would be exercised by the bill and permanent unity established. In allowing the different parts of the empire to build up on their own lines of self-government and self-development Great Britain always had had its reward in increased affection, he asserted.

### DENVER SAILS FOR MEXICO

American Cruiser Ordered to Acapulco  
to Protect Foreigners.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The cruiser Denver has been ordered from San Diego, Cal., to Acapulco, Mex., where a desperate situation is reported, with Americans in danger. It sailed today and should arrive at the Mexican port in about four days. Commander Washington has about 270 "Jackies" aboard and a company of marines.

The decision to send a warship to protect Americans was reached after alarming reports of the activity of rebels under Julio Radillo had been received through Ambassador Wilson at Mexico City.

Consul Edwards at Acapulco had suggested that inasmuch as the Mexican commander of the town had admitted his inability to reinforce the garrison, a warship should be sent out.

The last report from Acapulco said Radillo was operating in the country about there and that refugees from every direction were pouring into the town, which is one of the most important Mexican ports on the Pacific.

Depredations and atrocities by the approaching rebels were reported.

Americans and other foreigners will be taken aboard the Denver when it reaches there if they so desire. The Denver is the nearest ship to the danger point.

Burrows Provincial of Missouri.

St. Louis, Jan. 16.—Very Rev. Alexander J. Burrows, S. J., president of St. Louis university, has been appointed provincial of Missouri province which includes six universities and a number of colleges and other Jesuit institutions. Father Burrows will have jurisdiction over the territory north of Tennessee from the Alleghenies to the Rocky mountains.

70,000 Tots Affected by Divorce.

New York, Jan. 16.—More than 70,000 children, mostly under the age of nine years, were deprived of one or both parents by divorce in this country during the last year, according to figures with which the Rev. Francis M. Moody, stirred members of the New York state marriage and divorce commission.

Divorce Granted Cohen.

New York, Jan. 16.—Joseph Cohen, known on the stage as Joseph Kane, was granted a divorce from his wife, whose stage name is Blossom Sedley, by Justice Newberger. "Iube" Marquard, pitcher of the New York National league club, was named as co-respondent. His case was undefended.

## SALE BILLS

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RECHAD PASHA.

Turkish Peace Delegate  
Principal Figure In  
The Conference Crisis.



Photo by American Press Association.

This photograph of the leading Turkish plenipotentiary to the Balkan peace conference in London was taken during the conference, which opened yesterday because Turkey refused to concede all the allies' demands. Rechad Pasha is now the center of interest in what looks like the final breaking up of the negotiations.

## TURKISH BATTLESHIP ESCAPES FROM STRAIT

Bombards Powder Magazine and

Sinks Greek Cruiser.

Athens, Jan. 16.—The Turkish cruiser Medjideh performed a daringfeat in a heavy fog. It steamed out of the Dardanelles and passed unperceived through the lines of the Greek destroyers cruising off the straits. It appeared at noon off the island of Syra and bombarded the powder magazine and coal depots. These were not damaged but the electrical power station was wrecked.

The Medjideh also fired on the Greek auxiliary cruiser Macedonia which was undergoing repairs in Syra harbor. When fifteen shells had been fired the commander of the Macedonia, after landing his crew to maintain order in the town and strengthen the guard over the Turkish prisoners sank the Macedonia in the harbor to prevent its destruction by the war ship.

The Medjideh then left in the direction of Smyrna.

TRYING TO STOP WAR TALK

Powers Endeavoring to Prevent Re-  
sumption of Hostilities.

London, Jan. 16.—The meeting of the ambassadors of the powers was devoted chiefly to a discussion of the means of putting a brake on the threatened resumption of the war in the Balkans. Breathing time was given for efforts in this direction by the decision of the Balkan plenipotentiaries to delay further action until the Turkish government has had full opportunity for the discussion of the ambassadors' note, which will be presented this week.

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### January Clearance Sale Ends Saturday Evening

The prices quoted for this sale are rock bottom. The Goods are up-to-the-minute. We must reduce the stock before invoice and we have just three days before invoice begins. Every yard of goods left on hand then must be measured and every article must be counted together with the cost and selling price of each. This all must be done by February 1st. Do you wonder then that we are making the prices we are?

The Prices Quoted Here Will Give You an  
Idea of the Reductions All Over the Store

### Annual Clearance in the Suit Section

#### Suits

\$40.00 Suits for.....	\$20.00	\$30.00 Coats for.....	\$20.00
37.50 Suits for.....	18.75	25.00 Coats for.....	16.50
35.00 Suits for.....	17.50	20.00 Coats for.....	13.75
30.00 Suits for.....	16.50	18.00 Coats for.....	12.50
25.00 Suits for.....	15.00	16.50 and \$15 Coats for.....	10.00
20.00 Suits for.....	13.50	12.75 Coats for.....	8.50
15.00 Suits for.....	9.00	10.00 Coats for.....	6.50

#### SUITS AND DRESSES

A lot of eight Suits and  
Dresses worth up to \$15.00  
for \$25 for.....

#### COATS

One lot of Coats worth up  
to \$15.00 for.....

\$2.95

#### Children's and Infants' Coats

\$10.00 Coats for.....

7.50 Coats for.....

5.00 Coats for.....

3.00 and \$3.50 Coats for.....

2.25

#### Furs, Entire Stock Reduced 1/4 Off.

#### Petticoats Uniformly Reduced 1/4 Off.

